

**REMARKS**

Claims 1-4 and 10 are pending, by this amendment, claims 9 and 12 are cancelled and claims 2 and 3 amended.

On February 27, 2004, Applicants representative, David J. Zibelli, had a telephone interview with Examiner Berman. During the interview, Examiner Berman suggested canceling claims 9 and 12 and amending claims 2 and 3, as amended herein, to place the application in condition for allowance. It was agreed during the interview that the language to obtain a finer image is supported by the originally filed specification, and it is particularly supported by the description of the pixel size at detection is the pixel size of the image, which will have a resolution based on the pixel size, as explained in the Remarks in the February 3, 2004 amendment.

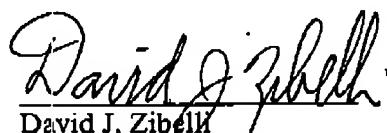
Accordingly, Applicants submit the application is now in condition for allowance.

The Office is authorized to charge any fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16, 1.17 and 1.136 to Deposit Account No. 11-0600.

Should the Examiner have any questions concerning this matter, he is invited to contact Applicants undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

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